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**ELECTION AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2003 in the above referenced application, applicants elect Group II (method claims 15-36) with traverse, and cancels claims 1-14 without prejudice.

As requested by the Examiner, applicants elect a first specie where E is a steroid receptor binding molecule, X is  $-(R^5)NOC-$ , Q is an alkenyl olefin radical,  $R^1$  to  $R^5$  is hydrogen, and Ar is phenanthridine. As requested by the Examiner, applicants elect a second specie where E is a hormone. As requested by the Examiner, applicants elect a specific phototherapeutic procedure as therapy for breast cancer.

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